

THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES SHALL ASSIST LOCAL JURISDICTIONS TO:

(1) DETERMINE THE COST-BENEFIT IMPACTS OF IMPLEMENTING THE GUIDELINES; AND

(2) PERFORM AUDITS OF SPECIFIC BUILDINGS OR INSTALLATIONS TO DETERMINE LIGHTING PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS AND THE SAVINGS POSSIBLE THROUGH IMPLEMENTING THE GUIDELINES.

(G) ADVISORY COMMISSION.

(1) THERE IS AN ADVISORY COMMISSION ON ENERGY CONSERVATION IN BUILDINGS.

(2) THE COMMISSION CONSISTS OF 15 MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.

(3) THE MEMBERS SHALL BE BROADLY REPRESENTATIVE, INCLUDING REPRESENTATIVES FROM:

(I) STATE AND LOCAL CODE ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES;

(II) ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING PROFESSIONS;

(III) PUBLIC UTILITIES;

(IV) THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY;

(V) LEGISLATIVE BODIES OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT; AND

(VI) THE PUBLIC.

(4) A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION:

(I) MAY NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION FOR SERVICE ON THE COMMISSION; BUT

(II) IS ENTITLED TO REIMBURSEMENT FOR EXPENSES UNDER THE STANDARD STATE TRAVEL REGULATIONS AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsections (a)(1), (2), and (4), and (b) through (g) of this section are new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 83B, § 6-104.

Subsection (a)(3) of this section is new language added to avoid repetition of the full reference to the "guidelines for recommended illumination levels in existing public buildings".

In subsection (b) of this section, the former reference to public buildings "as defined" is deleted because the term is presumed to be used as defined.

In subsection (g)(3)(vi) of this section, the former reference to the "general" public is deleted as implicit in the reference to the "public" and for consistency with terminology used throughout this article.